

## The Commonwealth

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W. E. DANIEL FOR SOLICITOR.

THE COMMONWEALTH has time and again commended favorably on the great efficiency of Mr. W. E. Daniel as a Solicitor.

Having served the district as Solicitor for eight years, Mr. Daniel, with perfect fairness, intimated to the editor of this paper some time ago that he should not seek the nomination to the office again by declaring himself a candidate. He said the people had conferred upon him the honor of two successive terms and he did not feel inclined to ask it again.

Accepting his statement we have said nothing concerning the matter at all; but there is such a determined purpose by the citizens of several counties, already expressed, to nominate him we feel sure he will not decline the office if tendered him again. There could be no better choice; for it goes as common consent that Mr. Daniel is the peer of any Solicitor in the State.

The State has no more faithful and efficient officer, and THE COMMONWEALTH will be glad to see him re-nominated, and feels sure it will be done.

### GEN. RAMSON IN NEW YORK.

The New York correspondent to the Charlotte Observer, has the following to say about North Carolina's grand old man, General Matt. W. Ramson:

"General Matt. W. Ramson, for twenty-four years the representative of North Carolina in the Senate of the United States, was the bright particular star upon the occasion of the banquet of the North Carolina Society of New York last Tuesday night in this city. Delmonico's choicest banquet hall was thronged with representatives of almost every name which lives in the annals of the State, and moreover, there were men from other parts, men from Virginia and South Carolina, and even those rare birds known as native New Yorkers. And they all cheered Ramson, who strided up and down with all the fire and passionate eloquence which were spent by him in the days when the dark blight of the force bill made the South quiver in rage. But now he plied for harmony—closer harmony than ever—closing with a magnificent peroration in which he sounded the key note: 'Trust the South.'"

### MOUNT PLEASANT STILL IN ACTION.

Fort de France, May 26.—Yesterday the correspondents of the Scripps-McRae and Publishers Press Association tried to reach the crater of Mount Pleasant from the north. It was a trip fraught with danger, for no man knew when death might gather him in. This correspondent traveled with Robert F. Hill, United States government geologist, whose headquarters are in Washington. We made the trip in a coasting vessel and were driven back. There was rumbling, followed by a mad eruption, which swept Prechaur on the north coast and forced us to hasten from the place. At Prechaur we discovered seven frightened desperate persons, who had been unable to get away in time to avoid the mud shower, and resumed them.

Close to St. Pierre many smaller craters can be seen spouting steam. The place is one vast ruin, a graveyard from which every species of life has departed. There has been spouting smoke and ashes heavily, today.

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### BULE'S CREEK ACADEMY.

It was the pleasure of the editor of THE COMMONWEALTH to visit this remarkable school last week and witness on Thursday night the last of the commencement exercises, which commenced on the Sunday before.

Where little more than a dozen years ago was nothing but an "old field school" is now a rattling village of several hundred people. Bule's Creek Academy is the centre and life of it all, and Rev. J. A. Campbell is the man through whose influence the school was organized and under whose wise direction it has so wonderfully developed. The enrollment for this year has been four hundred, coming from many counties in this State and from counties in several other states.

Through unbending energy and ceaseless perseverance a good and capacious school building had been erected, and the work was moving on satisfactorily and the institution was growing in usefulness. A few months ago the handsome building was burned. It was thought to the work of an incendiary, but no clue has ever been found to point out the perpetrator of the deed.

Immediately the building was burned, the students went to work to clear away the debris and look out timbers for a new building. Meantime school was continued in a large tabernacle which had been built in which to hold summer gatherings.

With a great stretch of faith of what could be done for the future Mr. Campbell had the foundations of a new building laid and is earnestly expecting to see the walls rise to completion and that right soon.

Meantime he continues his school in the tabernacle.

The commencement exercises last week consisted of special programmes rendered by the school every night, a sermon on Sunday by Rev. C. W. Byrd, of Atlanta, Ga., an address on Thursday by State Superintendent of Public Instruction Joyner, and some remarks by the writer on Thursday night.

The closing exercises of the school, the delivery of the medals and diplomas were all very impressive, and evidenced quite clearly the wonderful devotion of the school to the Principal; for many of the students wept copious tears as they sang the good-night song and said the farewell that meant they were to go to other fields of labor or leave the school to enter some higher institution.

Harnett county has been made over during the past fifteen years and largely through the influence of Bule's Creek Academy.

It was indeed pleasant to spend a night in the community among old friends where some years ago we spent much time of what was then the days of our youth. It would have been pleasant to linger a day or two there but duties as this office called us back as hurriedly as we went.

One of the most enjoyable parts of the trip was to meet and spend some hours with friend and boyhood schoolmate, Rev. C. W. Byrd, who spent his first year as a Christian minister in Scotland Neck. He is well and pleasantly remembered by the people of Scotland Neck. Since leaving here he has developed into a great, strong preacher, and is now pastor of the most important Methodist church in the South, the First church in Atlanta.

### STORM AT OAK RIDGE.

Charlotte Observer.

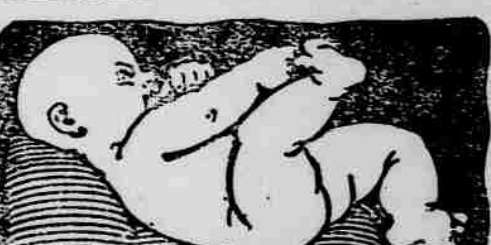
Oak Ridge, May 25.—A fearful storm occurred here at 2 o'clock this afternoon, doing great damage to trees and orchards and in flooding buildings which which were not securely bolted. A number of fine trees were blown down on the campus and grounds of Oak Ridge Institute. Fence rails were blown hundreds of feet in some places and torrents of rain fell three-quarters of inch falling in 20 minutes. At this writing it is impossible to tell what damage has been done in the community.

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### SUNDAY-SCHOOL CONVENTION.

Three of the executive committees and three of the pastors of the Halifax county Sunday-school Association were in attendance at the meeting in Enfield Hotel, Enfield, N. C., the 20th, inst. The committee agreed that the county Sunday-school convention be held in the early fall 1902 and are hopeful that Enfield will be the place. It was further agreed that the county president of Sunday-school work urge each township president to call a meeting of their executive committee made up of all the Sunday-school superintendents in his territory that they may fix time, place and programme for a township Sunday-school convention as early as possible in the summer, preparatory to the county convention.

For further information the township president can confer with county president W. C. Whitaker, Enfield, N. C. Thanks were tendered proprietor of hotel for kindness. W. C. WHITAKER.

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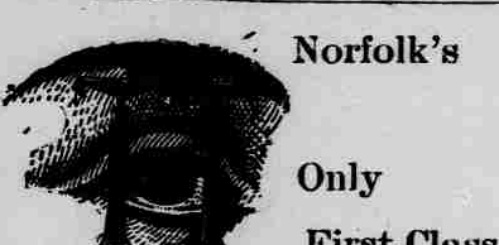
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T. L. HOUSE,

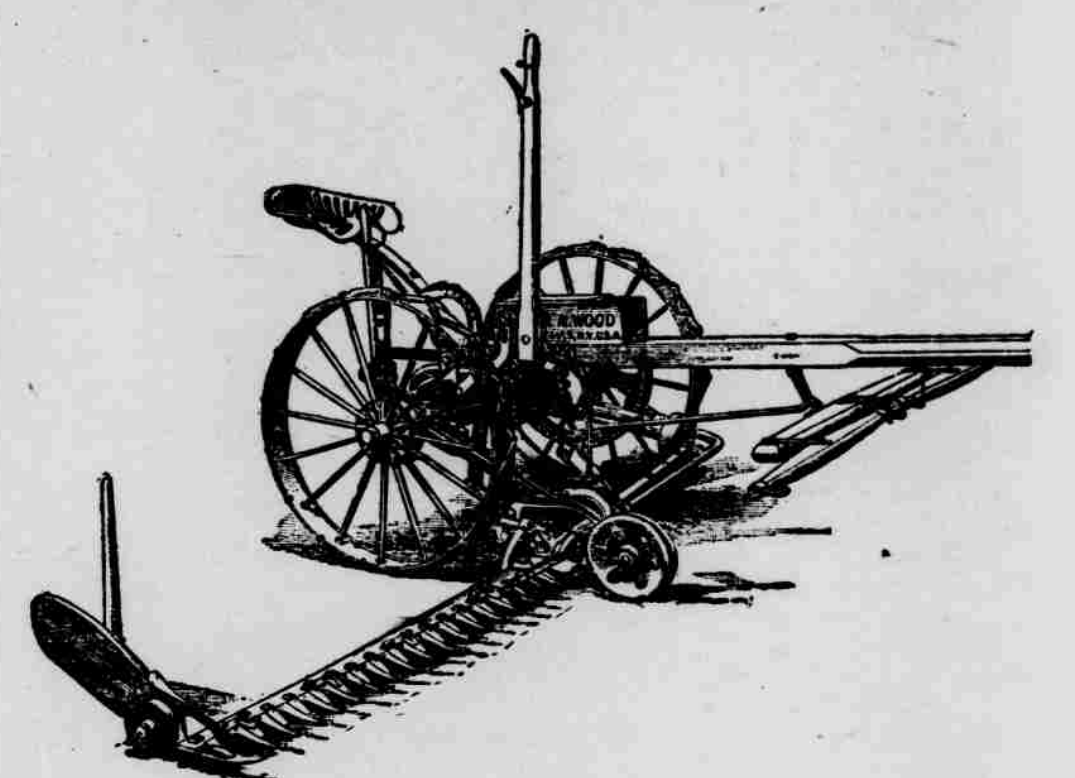
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